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KINDERGARTEN HELPS FOR PARENTS

THE STORY OF THE CLOCK.

By Carrie S. Newman.

"Come, Betty," said Mother, "put away your dolls. It is time for bed."

"Oh, mamma," pleaded Betty, "I don't want to go to bed yet. I'm not a bit sleepy."

"But, Betty, look at the clock. The hands are pointing to 7 and you know that it is bedtime."

"Horrid old clock! I wish they'd all stop and never go again," muttered Betty as she tucked Matilda Jane and Josephine into the carriage in which they slept.

"Tick-tock, tick-tock," sounded the dining room clock in the night, and in the quietness its voice seemed to grow louder and louder.

"What's the matter?" inquired the kitchen clock from its shelf. "You seem to be angry."

"Didn't you hear what Betty said before she went to bed? I think I'll stop and see how she likes it."

"Well, if you stop, I'll stop," answered the kitchen clock.

The tall grandfather's clock in the hall paused to listen to the conversation. "If they are both going to stop, I'll stop too. I am quite tired ticking day and night and would like a rest."

Betty opened her eyes. How quiet the house was! But it was quite light and must be time to get up. She slipped into mother's room. Mother was wide awake, but still in bed. "Isn't it time to get up?" asked Betty.

"I don't know, dear; the clocks have all stopped."

Betty dressed and ran downstairs. No breakfast ready. "You see I didn't know what time it was. All the clocks have stopped," explained Hannah. When Bettie had finished her breakfast she put on her hat and ran down the street to call for her little chum, Pearl, to go to kindergarten.

"Why, Betty, you are very late," said Pearl's mother. "Pearl has been gone some time."

Bettie hurried down the street. Not a child in sight. No one on the playground. She crept up under the window and listened. Then turned and ran home, the tears trickling down her cheeks.

"I'm sorry, little daughter," said Mother, "but I had no way of telling the time."

"Do you think it's anywhere near 1 o'clock?" asked Betty a few hours later. "You know Uncle James promised me a ride if I came at 1."

"You'd better run over and see," said mother.

But alas for poor Betty! She ran around the corner just in time to see Uncle James disappear in the distance.

"Betty, Betty, wake up!" and Betty opened her eyes to find mother standing by her bedside.

And before she ate her breakfast Betty crept over to the clock and whispered: "I'm sorry I called you names. I'll never do it again."

She sat up and listened intently, then threw her arms around Mother's neck, exclaiming, "Oh, I'm so glad it was only a dream!"

THE CHURCH YEAR ENDS.

The first year of the Michelson Memorial church ends next Sunday. Owing to the fact that the annual session of Detroit conference opens at Owosso Tuesday next, the pastor, C. E. Doty, and family will leave by auto Sunday afternoon. There will be no evening service. The conference lasts one week so there will be no services in the church September 21st.

Remember the morning service next Sunday at ten thirty. On Sunday evening, September 28th the third of the series of sermons on Common Things will be given. Subject for that evening, "A Stream Made Famous."

C. E. Doty.

QUARTERLY MEETING AT FREE METHODIST CHURCH.

The first quarterly meeting for the Kingsley and Grayling circuit will be held here at Grayling, beginning Friday night of this week.

This meeting will be in charge of Rev. J. W. Archer, District Elder of the Grand Traverse district. This meeting will no doubt close our revival for this time.

Services are as follows:—Preaching Friday at 8:00 p. m.; Saturday at 2:00 p. m. This meeting will be followed by the meeting of the Official board. Saturday evening at 8:00 p. m.; Sunday morning, love feast at 9:30 a. m. followed by preaching, baptismal service for infants and sacraments of the Lord's supper. Closing service Sunday night at eight p. m. Everybody come and enjoy an old fashioned quarterly meeting with us.

Daniel Skanes, Pastor.

NOTICE.

Beginners can not be enrolled in the Primary room after this week until the second semester. Parents will readily see the injustice to the other pupils caused by late enrollments.

Board of Education.

RIVERVIEW NEWS.

Mr. Matt is doing fine, learning to run his new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilcott, formerly of this place, were calling on old friends here Sunday.

School has begun, with Mrs. Atwell as teacher.

J. H. Grover has secured his cook for the winter for his camp.

Mr. Hat and family have moved back to their house here, after working at Mr. Matt's mill.

Bernard Bromwell and H. Carney attended the dance at Sigma Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bromwell went to Oley Sunday on the motor car.

NEWELL UNDERHILL LAID TO REST SUNDAY.

Funeral Was Attended by Large Course of Friends.

The funeral of Charles Newell Underhill, who passed away at Mercy hospital Wednesday night of last week, was held Sunday afternoon at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen. The services began at 2 o'clock and were conducted by Rev. C. E. Doty of Michelson Memorial church. At the beginning of the services the choir, composed of Miss Helen Parr and Messrs C. J. Hathaway and J. Fred Alexander, with Miss Florence Smith as accompanist, sang "Rock of Ages." The words of Rev. Doty were brief but very impressive. The services were closed with prayer after which the choir rendered another song.

Interment was at Elmwood cemetery. Those from out of the city in attendance at the funeral were the father, C. F. Underhill and his wife of Lovells and brother Alfred, also of Lovells; his sister Miss Mae Underhill of Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. Edna Beezer, the Messrs. Samuel and Emanuel Rasmussen, Miss Elise Wendel and Mr. Roy Newton, all of Detroit. Besides these there were a large number of friends of the family that drove down from Lovells.

Charles Newell Underhill was born in Rochester, N. Y., September 15, 1899, and when he died was nearly 20 years of age. The early part of his life, or until he was eight years old was spent in traveling with his parents. At that time he located with his parents at Lovells, Michigan, at which place his father built and is conducting the well-known Underhill Club house on the famous North Branch of the AuSable river. Newell graduated from the school at Lovells after which for some time he attended a college in Rochester, N. Y. Later he returned to Lovells and acted as guide for fishermen. He was perfectly familiar with every crook and bend in the stream and with the many lakes and bays that region and knew where to get the biggest fish. During the winter months he did a great deal of trapping. October 15, 1917, he was united in marriage to Miss Elvira Rasmussen of this city and since that time had made his home mostly in Grayling.

On August 22, while at work at the duPont plant in this city, he was taken ill with typhoid fever and on the following Wednesday was removed from the Rasmussen home to Mercy hospital. He seemed to be getting along nicely until Tuesday of the following week, when he suddenly became worse and continued that way until the end. His death was wholly unexpected and was a severe shock to his wife and other relatives. His community deeply sympathize with the young wife and also the father between whom there were the deepest ties of devotion, and he will be a sincere loss to his many young friends about town.

BROWN-WOODRUFF.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodruff, 105 1-2 State street, was the scene of a pretty wedding Wednesday afternoon when their daughter, Violet, was united in marriage with Clarence Brown, of Grayling, Rev. Guy V. Hoard, of the First M. E. church, officiating. The brides gown was of white georgette over white satin and her corsage bouquet was of white rosebuds. She was attended by her sister, Miss Ruth, whose gown was of organdie, with a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds. J. J. Doty, officiating at the ceremony. The dining room where a 4-course dinner was served following the ceremony, was tastefully decorated in pink and white, the bride's chosen color scheme. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for Detroit and Buffalo and will reside in Grayling after September 15.—Bay City Times-Tribune.

Mr. Brown formerly resided in Grayling with her parents. Mr. Brown is a son of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Brown of this city. Both young people are well and favorably known here and their many friends will be pleased to know that they will reside in Grayling.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Crawford County Teachers' institute will be held in the auditorium of the Grayling High school building September 22nd and 23rd.

They are especially favored this year in securing the following people:

Prof. C. S. Larzelere, head of the history department at the Mt. Pleasant Normal school, will act as conductor. He will be assisted by the two instructors, T. B. Pearson of Columbus, Ohio, and Adella Jackson of Ypsilanti, Michigan.

This is an opportunity no teacher should miss. The first session will begin at 8:30 a. m., September 22.

M. E. Hoyt, Commissioner.

CARD OF THANKS.

Our sincere gratitude is extended to our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. C. N. Underhill,
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Underhill.



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GRAND RAPIDS MAN TO HEAD M. N. G.

REORGANIZATION IN MICHIGAN
STARTED; GRAYLING CAMP
TO BE RESUMED.

Major Earl R. Stewart of Grand Rapids, likely to command the new regiment of infantry, Michigan's allowance for 1919 in the reorganization of the National Guard. Major Stewart led the Grand Rapids battalion of the 126th infantry in France.

Colonel Bersey, adjutant-general, has notified Major Stewart that it is the present plan to place him in command of the regiment when it is completely formed.

"The new National Guard will have a vastly better standing than in the past," says Major Stewart. "It is the plan of those who are back of the reorganization to make the guard become to the regular army what the marine corps is to the regular navy. That is, like the marine corps is united with the navy in the person of the civilian secretary of the navy, so will the National Guard be united with the regular army in the person of the secretary of war."

"As soon as a sufficient number of men have been enlisted, we will be furnished with the same equipment that is issued to the regular army and the drills and instruction will commence. The two weeks' camp will be resumed at Grayling next summer."

Reorganization in Michigan is well under way, two companies of infantry being in the process of formation in Grand Rapids, four in Detroit and one each in Ionia and Grand Haven.

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE WED.

Hewitt-Cassidy.

The wedding of Miss Mary Fidelity Cassidy and Mr. Earle Joseph Hewitt was solemnized at a nuptial high mass at St. Mary's church at nine o'clock, Tuesday morning, Rev. Fr. J. J. Riess officiating. As the happy couple and their attendants entered the church, a wedding march was nicely rendered by Miss Lucille Hanson. The bride looked very becoming in a suit of bisque silvertone cloth and a hat of the same shade to match. She wore a corsage bouquet of pink roses, and was attended by her sister Miss Hazel, who wore a navy blue suit and picture hat, with yellow roses as a corsage bouquet. Mr. Charles Hewitt, brother of the groom officiated as groomsmen. A choir composed of Mrs. Marius Hanson, Miss Lucille Hanson, Mrs. Weldon Warren, Mr. A. E. Mason, Mr. Alfred Hughes and Mr. Joseph Cassidy sang the hymenal mass.

There were a large number of friends of the contracting parties, who gathered at the church to witness the ceremony, and the following out-of-town guests came to be in attendance at the affair: Mrs. Elzie Cote of Midland; Mrs. C. Dufour and Miss Louise Dufour of Bay City; Miss Della Dufour of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neil, Mrs. Alice Cluin and Miss Cecelia Bilitzke of Cheboygan.

At noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy, a three course dinner was served to the members of the family and a few close friends. Large white willow baskets filled with mixed flowers of pink and white hues, and tied with pink tulle made attractive centerpieces for the dinner tables.

Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt left on the afternoon train for Cleveland, O., where they will make their home, the former having a position in view in that city. Both the bride and groom attended the Grayling schools, and it was during their school days that their romance began. Mrs. Hewitt graduated with high honors of her class—that of '18. During most of the time since she has held the position of clerk at the local Postoffice, where she was always found pleasant and very accommodating, trying at all times to please the patrons of that place. The young couple were very popular with the younger set, among whom they will be missed very much. They carry with them the well wishes of hosts of friends to their new home.

WEDDED AT VANDERBILT.

The Vanderbilt correspondent to the Gaylord Advance last week had the following to say:

"A pretty ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Cherwinski on the afternoon of Labor day, September 1st when, in the presence of the immediate friends of the family, their daughter, Miss Marguerite Cherwinski was united in marriage to Mr. James D. Thompson of Grayling, Rev. H. Bennett officiating."

"The bride was charmingly dressed in a superb creation of sapphire blue georgette crepe and attended throughout the ceremony by her sisters, Miss Sarah Cherwinski of Munising and Miss Anna Cherwinski of Vanderbilt."

"After the ceremony Mrs. Cherwinski entertained the friends at the bridal luncheon and after receiving the congratulations and best wishes of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson started on their tour thru the cities of southern Michigan. Mr. Thompson, who is the representative of the du Pont company, will make his headquarters at Vanderbilt, and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will be 'at home' after September 15th."

Mr. Thompson for many years past had been a resident of Grayling and served as station agent at the M. & N. E. depot. About two years ago when he resigned that position and entered the employ of the du Pont Co., assisting in the looking after of their timber interests in the northern counties. His old friends of Grayling will wish Mr. and Mrs. Thompson a happy and prosperous future.

LATEST ARRIVALS

New Blouses, in Voiles and sheer muslins, pretty styles, Georgette crepe in all the new shades.

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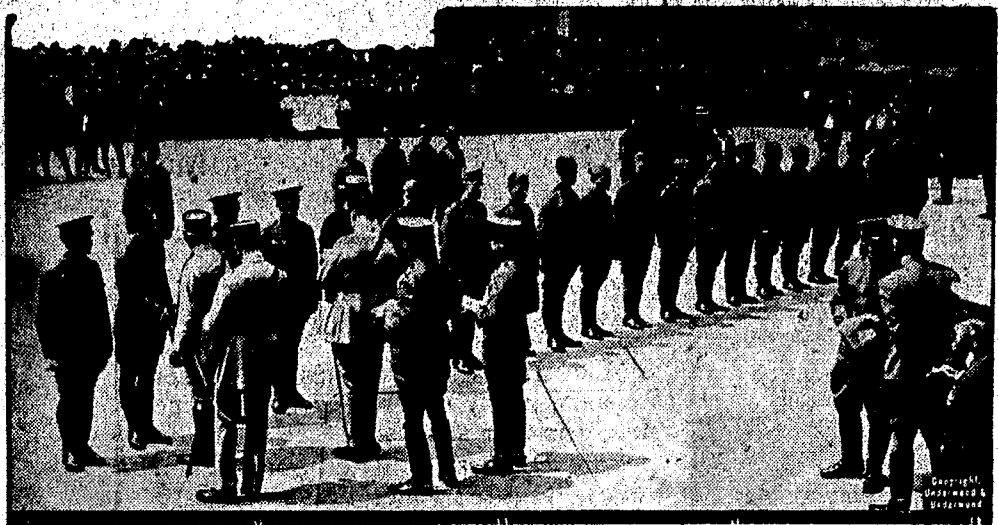
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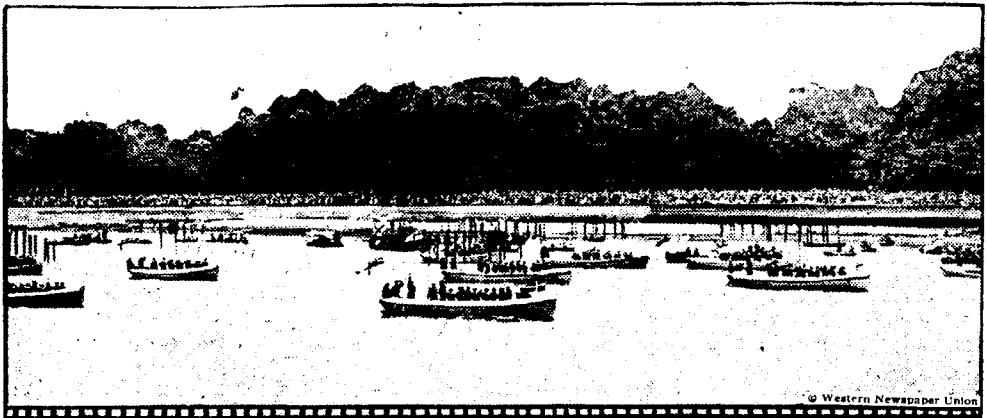
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YANKEE HEROES DECORATED WITH FOREIGN WAR CROSSES



General scene at the city hall, New York, showing American soldiers being decorated with foreign war crosses. Forty-eight decorations were bestowed, making it the largest occasion of its kind ever held on this side of the Atlantic.

THAMES OARSMEN SALUTING THE ROYAL BARGE



A scene at the Thames pageant, photographed from Cadogan pier at Chelsea. The cutters are "tossing their oars" as a salute to King George as the royal barge passed.

HAS HAD 200 PROPOSALS



Miss Kitty Dalton of New York, Knights of Columbus flower girl, who has distributed thousands of flowers to returned fighting men in all of New York's veterans' parades. She is a popular singer in Knights of Columbus butts at camps around New York and has received marriage proposals from more than 200 soldiers, sailors and marines.

POST STOOD FOR CENTURIES

Relic Recently Sold in England Is Old Even as Antiquarians Count Ages of Things.

Whoever bought the corner post that once stood near the abbey at Burton-on-Trent, England, when it came up for sale the other day in London, acquired a venerable curiosity. The post has been described on good authority as having been first set up not later than 1340, and the old building that once stood beside it, and has been described as "the tall building in the Market place called the Garroffs," long since vanished. About a hundred years ago somebody took the ancient relic to the Isle of Anglessey; but in the 1840s one of the local families of importance purchased it and brought it home to Burton-on-Trent. Undoubtedly an interesting thing to possess, one may reasonably wonder what the new owner is going to do with it.—Christian Science Monitor.

Business.

If business is "business"—what is business? This is what it is—business is the business of laying something to hand over to somebody with that something being something that somebody is in need of.—Exchange.

Knowledge Is What Wins.

There is more in knowing how than in trusting to luck and the phases of the moon. The moon and luck are always on the side of the man that knows how.

Dreaming of Cats.

With the exception of black ones, it is said that to dream of cats is unlucky. If the animals scratch, the dreamer must beware of a rival, in love. To dream of chasing a cat means disappointment over something.

Inexpensive Fun.

Probably complaining about everything all the time does no real good, but it seems to be about the only way we can have any fun at all and still live within our means.—Ohio State Journal.

MISSION COMES FROM PORTO RICO



A mission, whose object is to secure from congress home rule for the people of Porto Rico, will spend the next several months in the United States. In the group are Cordova Davila, delegate to the house of representatives from Porto Rico; Antonio R. Barceño, head of the mission; Enrique Bird, secretary of the mission, and Frank Martinez of the Porto Rican senate.

INDIANS VISIT BIG AIRPLANE WORKS



Indian officers who visited and inspected the airplane works of the Handley-Page corporation, England, ready for their first airplane flight.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

About 700,000 men were employed in the coal mines in the United States during 1918.

The Anglican synod of Canada, by a large majority, refused to admit women as delegates.

More than 145 words a minute have been transmitted in English high-speed wireless telegraph tests.

Norwegian government experimenters have succeeded in producing a bread containing 20 per cent of fish.

Field experiments in Ireland have shown that liquid manure produces better hay crops than any other fertilizer.

A Texas scientist has estimated that there is more than 250,000 horsepower going to waste in the rivers of the state.

A California ranchman cools his house in the hottest weather by spraying its roof with water on its way to irrigate his orange grove.

The Spanish government is supporting private plans to introduce cotton growing on an extensive scale in the Spanish area of Morocco.

Needing no other preparation than cleaning the inside bark of a tree is used in Ecuador for blankets.

A Texan is the patentee of new harness to hold a rod for a fisherman and leave his hands free for other purposes.

Holland will open an international aeronautic exposition at Amsterdam August 1 and continue it about six weeks.

A target invented by an Australian records the course of bullets in relation to both stationary and moving objects.

Seaweeds obtain their nourishment from the water in which they grow, not from the ground in which they may be rooted.

For light automobiles a detachable support has been invented to enable running boards to carry heavier loads than ordinarily.

An Indianapolis inventor has patented hob-nail sandals that can be laced to a man's shoes when it is desirable to wear them.

Johannesburg capitalists have formed a company to establish airplane passenger service among a number of South African points.

Sammy's Sudden Shift

By JOHN HAMILTON

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Sammy Edwards, a taxi driver in a circus town, fell under the spell of the sawdust. So in the autumn, when the biggest of the four circuses came home to winter quarters, he struck the menagerie superintendent for a job. Fostick sent him to McGuire, the "cat-house" boss, and after talking to McGuire for ten minutes, Sammy climbed back into his taxi an accepted member of the staff of the Great and Only, with orders to report Sunday morning.

After it was all settled, Sammy broke the news to Kitty Edwood—and Kitty, without any ado whatever, broke their engagement.

"If that's all the consideration I get from you, Sam Edwards," Kitty vehemently remarked, "all you get from me after this is none at all. It's off—all off, and off for good. Here's your hat."

"But, Kit," expostulated Sammy, "you don't get it at all. It's only for one year. Look it. I qualify as a full-fledged keeper in a couple of months. Before the show goes out I'm a fancy trainer and go one trip with an animal act—see? It'll get us more than I could save in three years at the old job—enough to start right!"

"Two pin-shaws and a puppy!" Kitty, you see, worked in a paper-box factory. "Do you see much green in my eye? You're going with the circus because you've gone nuts on it—like every little boy in this town. You in a ring act! In five months! You'll be sweeping out cages the rest of your life—chambermaid to a smelly lot of animated old fur sets. You've lost out with me, Mr. Edwards. My husband's gotta have a balance wheel that can't be quivered by circus charlatans. Goodbye!"

There was a finality about this that sent Sammy on his way without further word. Whereupon Kitty climbed two flights of stairs and wept copiously for an hour.

Sammy didn't spend all that winter just chambermaiding to cat animals. He got to be a keeper with a certain edge of peculiarly pernickier leopard as his most special care. He soon learned, however, that he wouldn't be in any ring act by next spring. It was January before McGuire would let him go into the leopard's cage without a pointed iron bar in his hand, and February before he felt the least at home in that environment.

But when March came, Sammy had got along so far that when he signed up for the touring season there was a clause in his contract giving him forty-five dollars a month extra for riding in that cage of spotted cats in the daily parade—and the show furnished the fleshings.

Opening in "the Garden" at New York, where circus parades have long been a thing of the past, the second booking was in the show's—and Sammy's—home town. As the fates would have it, it rained pitchforks at the first day's stand, and there was no parade. So that Sammy was called on to make his debut as an "animal king" before the eyes of his own townspeople. Also his first appearance in lights.

Now Sammy had never ceased to be sore in spirit over the defection of Kitty Edwood. Even among the sylphs whom he had encountered during the winter, prattling and rehearsing animal acts or cavorting over the ring in the equestrian pavilion, there had been none equal to the task of discomfiting Kitty in his heart—and some very nice girls there were among them, at that. Wherefore, as Sammy climbed into his nest of feline revolutionists it was with mingled emotions that he assured himself that Kitty would certainly be somewhere in the street crowds and that she could not fail to see him. What would she think, he wondered.

It was a new cage. Cat animals of all kinds hate new surroundings—witness Tabby at home. It was the first street parade. Caliph, the head devil of the leopard clan, deflected the noise of hand music. None of the family was overly fond of human beings, and crowds of them frazzled leopardian nerves completely.

A leopard with rasped nerves is dangerous. To make it worse, the cats, thanks to delays in the costume department, had never before seen Sammy in pink tights. And to top it all, Sammy was nervous himself—something a trainer has no earthly business to be, ever. And the more he thought of Kitty being somewhere in the crowd the more nervous he became.

The parade hadn't gone two blocks before Caliph, sensing the unrest in his

master, began to show his independence. He snarled every time he passed Sammy in that never ending promenade of the cage, glared at him sideways and snarled—getting a rousing belt on the nose with Sammy's rawhide that didn't improve his temper. But Caliph wasn't alone in his mood.

Kitty, his big mate, never took her baleful eyes off Sammy for an instant, while Hindoo, the biggest of the youngsters, kept his mouth open and his teeth bared two-thirds of the time. Even Never and Forever, the litherto fairly amiable cubs, frankly and openly foreswore allegiance to the banner of King Edwards.

It helped matters not at all that at the very first avenue crossing some one on the curb yelled: "Pipe Sammy Edwards all done up in pinkies! See, Sammy, but it brings out the legs great!"—an extremely embarrassing remark, since Sammy from boyhood had been painfully conscious of his slightly bowed nether limbs.

Well, what with the animals acting like the deuce and the kidding he got from old acquaintances along the line, and what with—most of all—keeping on the lookout for Kitty the eyes that should have been attending very strictly indeed to the leopards, it happened.

The spotted beasts, always the bane of menagerie men's existence at best, were on the verge of getting out of hand when the cage reached that particular juncture of two important thoroughfares where Sammy's taxi had been wont to stand of nights.

Involuntarily Sammy let his eyes divert from his snarling, feverishly pacing charges, to the old spot. And there, on the edge of the sidewalk, stood Harriman, his old taxi days employer, and—evidently quite by accident, just beside him—stood Kitty!

Kitty was white, as Sammy's glance fell on her. Kitty was frightened. For Kitty had been able to sense what scarcely anybody in the crowd suspected, for she had been investigating this animal business a deal in the last six months, had Kitty.

She knew that things were going wrong in that cage. As her eyes and Sammy's met, she raised her hand in one imperious, undeniable gesture, and through white lips screamed over all the fanfare of the pageant, "Duck, Sammy!"

Sammy ducked—and the razor-like claws of Caliph missed him by the thickness of a whistle as the snarling beast hurtled through the air. There was a whirl of tawny, black spotted bodies and a horrid scrambling and snarling: an agile flashing of pink; one, two, three rapid blank shots in the faces of the frantic cats—and, like a jack out of his box, Sammy emerged from the rear door of the cage, slumping in the hump behind him. In two jumps he reached the sidewalk.

There was no interlude. "Can I have my job back?" he demanded of Harriman.

"You can," replied Harriman. In just five seconds Sammy Edwards had quit one job and secured another.

"Come on, Kitty," he breathlessly urged, grasping that almost fainting young woman by the arm; "I'll borrow a raincoat in Ferguson's and we'll go somewhere and have a little talk. You can't kid me after the look that was on your face just now."

Kitty, of course, have told him that she'd have felt just the same about a perfect stranger. But—oh, what was the use? She was too glad to have him back alive.

One Strange Result of War.

Strange, unknown flowers are springing up in shell holes and dugouts over the scarred surface of No Man's land, and many are the conjectures concerning the strange phenomenon.

Botanists who have studied the strange plants have come to the conclusion that they have sprung from seeds buried in the earth for many decades. A well-known London botanist in a recent discussion said:

"It is known that seeds have been buried for upwards of 80 years without losing their power of germination. Seeds of corn and wheat buried with Egyptian mummies thousands of years ago have been planted out in the 20th century and have germinated in the ordinary way. It is quite possible that strange flowering plants—that is, strange to the local inhabitants—are now flowering in the French battlefields. The heavy shell fire which has torn up the earth may have created conditions for their growth after lying dormant so long."

Permanent Colors.

Ancient Egyptians had a marvelous knowledge of colors, and they understood fully what colors would last. In the Egyptian papyrus the ground colors are as good as ever they were. The Egyptians worked their outlines in lampblack, used clay for their whites, ferruginous earths for their reds, ochres for their yellows, and for green they used perhaps green jasper or mixed blue carbonate or copper with ochre. All these colors are permanent.

SCHOOLBOOKS OF LONG AGO

Ancient Tablets Show That Children of Past Ages Studied Much as Do Those of Today.

Professor Langdon of Oxford, Eng., has discovered that one group of the famous Nippur tablets stored at the University of Pennsylvania are in reality the oldest schoolbooks known to exist. They show, says the Christian Herald, that the children of the ancients learned much that the boys and girls of today have to study.

According to these tablets the children of 4,200 years ago were taught arithmetic, geography, history and grammar—just like the children of today.

The multiplication tables are remarkably distinct, and in plain numerals show the incontrovertible fact that three times one are three and five times one are five.

On one tablet the school boy has been given a lesson in phonetic signs corresponding to the shorthand of modern times. The Sumerians, the au-

thors of these tablets, also invented the use of writing syllables and combining them into words, being the first step toward the alphabet.

Carp Honored in Japan.

Even in Japan the jellyfish is in ill repute, since that creature, once a boned fish like the carp, was beaten to a jelly by his king because he allowed himself to be gulled and outwitted by a monkey. But the carp is honored and sung, and every Japanese boy looks forward to the day he may, if called on, meet the chopper with the same stoical behavior.—New Orleans Times-Picayune.

Return of the Wanderers.

"I'm kind of afraid of universal prohibition," remarked Cactus Joe.

"But Crimmon-Gulch has improved visibly."

"Yes. When the Gulch went dry the worst element of our little burg went on over to that near-by gin mill metropolis, Coyote Center. With universal prohibition they're all liable to think they might be 'jes' as well off if they came back home."



Savory beans, Mexican peppers, choice bits of tender beef—all in a hot Spanish sauce! Such is Libby's Chili Con Carne—ask your grocer for a package today. Try it with rice, mashed potatoes or spaghetti—it's delightful. Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago

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Will reduce Inflamed, Strained, Swollen Tendons, Ligaments, or Muscles. Stops the lameness and pain from a Splint, Side Bone or Bone Spavin. No blister, no hair gone and horse can be used. \$2.50 a bottle at druggists or delivered. Describe your case for special instructions and interesting horse book 2 R Free. ABSORBINE, JR., the antiseptic liniment for manking, reduces Strained, Torn Ligaments, Swollen Glands, Veins or Muscles; Heals Cuts, Sores, Ulcers. Allays pain. Price \$1.25 a bottle at druggists or delivered. Book "Evidence" free. N. F. YOUNG, P. O. F., 310 Temple Street, Springfield, Mass.

Agents Wanted—For money making proposition: steel shoe and vegetable cutter. For par. E. C. Meyer, Orland Av., Cincinnati, O.

Down Come Prices.

Darby—I saw in a Main street window about 100 articles on which the price had been reduced 50 per cent.

Joan (excitedly)—But you've been drinking! But what were they?

Darby—Knitting needles.—Buffalo Express.

How's This?

We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

OLD-TIME RULES OF CIVILITY

Undoubtedly Were Taken Seriously in 1675, but Would Seem Somewhat Elementary Today.

There was published in 1675 a curious book called "The Rules of Civility," and one of the things impressed upon the reader is that "being in discourse with a man, 'tis no less than ridiculous to pull him by the buttons, to play with the handstrings, belt or clank, or to punch him now and then in the stomach; 'tis a pleasant sight, an, well worthy of laughter to see him that is so punched, fall back, and retire, whilst the other, insensible of his absurdity, pursues and presses him into some corner, where he is at last glad to cry quarter before his comrade perceives he is in danger." Further, the reader is informed that "it argues neglect, and to undervalue a man, to sleep when he is discoursing or reading; therefore good manners command it to be forbid; besides, something there may happen in the act that may offend, as sneezing, yawning, gapping or dribbling."

Giving It Wings.

Redd—Why all this fuss about the aeroplanes, blimps and other air conveyances making trips across the Atlantic?

Greene—Well, you know the war is over.

"Of course I know the war is over."

"Well, you see the government must still devise some means of making the people's money fly."—Yonkers Statesman.

Although she may not get much credit, the woman behind the broom raises a lot of dust.

The Proper Treatment. "I have a terrible cold," he complained. "My head feels all stopped up."

"Have you tried a vacuum cleaner?" she queried sweetly.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

THE MEN IN CLASS A1

A sound, healthy man is never a back number. A man can be as vigorous and able at seventy as at twenty. Condition, not years, puts you in the discard. A system weakened by overwork and careless living brings old age prematurely. The bodily functions are impaired and unpleasant symptoms appear. The weak spot is generally the kidneys. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you will generally find yourself in Class A. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and your system will always be in working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles supple, your mind active, and your body capable of hard work. Don't wait until you have been rejected. Commence to be a first-class man now. Go to your druggist at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil—the kind your great-grandfather used. Two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. Remember to ask for the imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. In three sizes, sealed packages.—Adv.

HEARD OVER THE TELEPHONE

City Editor Gets a Little Important Information Concerning a Certain Uriah Umson.

Here's a bona fide telephone conversation:

"Lo."

"Hello."

"I gotta little ad for the paper."

"An advertisement?"

"No. It's about a friend of mine."

"Oh. I'll be pleased to take it."

"Just say Uriah Umson is convalescing."

"Con-VASS-elling?"

"Yes."

"What kind of a business is that?"

"It isn't a business. It's a sickness."

"Oh. I'm so sorry."

"Yes. He's a soldier boy."

"Well, that IS too bad."

"You see, he was hurt, and now he is con-vass-elling."

"Oh. I see, I see."

"Yes. He's con-vass-elling after being on the cas-u-AL-ity list."

Youngstown Telegram.

Dirigible Talk.

Mrs. Flatbush—You know Mrs. Go-

wanus, do you not?

Mrs. Bensonhurst—Oh, yes, indeed.

"What do you think of her dirigible conversation?"

"Dirigible conversation? I'm afraid I don't quite get you."

"Her lighter-than-air conversation, then?"

True.

"His word is law."

"I never could see much to that expression."

"Why not?"

"Most laws require so many words."

Off-Color Days

are usually the reflexion of some upset to bodily health.

Coffee drinking usually exaggerates such conditions and frequently produces them.

That's why so many former coffee drinkers now favor

The Original

POSTUM CEREAL

Boil fully fifteen minutes and a delightful beverage results. Fine for children as well as grown-ups.

Everywhere at Grocers.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

DOES THIS MEAN ANY-THING TO YOU?

We are now offering our Tires 10 per cent from list prices

AJAX, 30x3	\$12.30
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Crawford Avalanche

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, SEPT. 11

LOCAL NEWS

Nice Spring chickens, dressed, 38 cents per pound. Inquire of Carl Nelson, phone 763.

Mrs. Glen C. Penard of Detroit, formerly Miss Ange VanPatten is here for a visit with her father and friends.

Mrs. R. J. Heany of Cleveland, O., who spent the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Holger Peterson has returned home.

"Babe" Laurent, who has been pitching for the Bay City League team since returning from service, came home Sunday morning the season for the league being closed.

Harry Hill is dangerously ill at the Mrs. J. M. Bunting home.

See "Riders of Vengeance" at the Grayling Opera house tomorrow evening, Friday, Sept. 12. This is a special attraction, featuring Harry Carey.

T. P. Peterson returned Monday from Vassar, where he with Mrs. Peterson had gone Friday of last week to attend the funeral of a sister of the latter. Mrs. Peterson will return home the latter part of this week.

O. W. Roeser, pharmacist, who has been employed at the Central Drug store for a number of years resigned his position and left yesterday for Saginaw, where he has accepted a similar position. The family will move to that city as soon as they can find a suitable house.

Autumn leaves and wild flowers were the decoration used in the home of Mrs. W. H. Ketzbeck, when she entertained very nicely yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. David Baty of Detroit, who is a guest here. There were twelve ladies present, and in a series of guessing contests, Mrs. William Christenson and Mrs. George A. Collen won the first prizes. Mrs. Orson Corwin was awarded the consolation prize. Miss Mabelle Ketzbeck, assisted by Miss Vera McIsaac served a delicious lunch, that had been prepared by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gillett motored to Bay City Saturday to spend a few days. They were accompanied by their niece, Miss Helen Steggall, who has been visiting them for some time.

Edmore LaBrash, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul LaBrash, returned last week from service in the U. S. army. He had spent a number of months in service in France and later with the Army of Occupation at the Rhine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Connine and little daughter, Mary Gretchen, arrived here from Mt. Pleasant, Wednesday of last week to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Connine. They motored thru in their auto, Mr. Connine meeting his wife in Mt. Pleasant, where she had been visiting her parents. They expect to leave on their return trip home to Detroit next Sunday.

The birthday of our constitution will be celebrated all over the United States next Wednesday, September 17. It is expected that every school in the country will hold appropriate exercises that day. In many counties there will be special meetings with speeches relative to the constitution and patriotism. The fundamental motive of the celebration is to instill patriotism thru education.

Wm. Powell and wife abandoned theatrical work for a brief time to enable them to enjoy a few days of the resorting season at their cottage at Lake Margrethe. They sure do enjoy getting back to the old stamping ground each season where they may forget their labors before the footlights of the great metropolitan theatres of the country and revel in the sublimity and beauty of "Old Portage." Their outings here are an inspiration to look forward to after a long season on the road.

"What do you think?" said the lady who was next to us in the bus to the other lady who was next to her. "Father went up in one of those awe-inspiring airplanes last week. My dear I was nearly historical with fright when I saw him disappear amongst the consternations of the Zodiac, as one might say. I have always had a diabolical, invincible repugnance for airplanes which rendered them highly obnoxious and distasteful to my senseless nervous system." Then the bus stopped and she got out. Some customers do have the rottenest luck. —Ex.

Expect to see all my old friends and many new ones at Burton Hotel, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Sept. 13, 14 and 15. The Clothes Man.

RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATION.

The United States Civil Service commission has announced an examination for the County of Crawford, Mich. to be held at Roscommon a. l. Gaylord on September 13, 1919 to fill the position of rural carrier at Grayling and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above-mentioned county. The examination will be open only to citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a post office in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. This form and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington, D. C. at the earliest practicable date.

"Admission of women to this examination will be limited to those who are unmarried and to the wives of soldiers serving in the present war." United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

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AUNT ELMIE

By MILDRED WHITE.

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Mrs. Pascal T. Perkins sat looking from the telegram in her hand to the two waiting faces of her daughters.

"What is it, mother?" Gwendoline inquired; this hesitation upon her parent's part bored her.

"If you have anything of importance to tell us, mother," the second daughter suggested, "why not do so?"

Thus encouraged, Mrs. Perkins let forth her grievance. "Anything to tell you?" she burst out. "I should think I have. And there is no way to forestall the embarrassment of the situation. Your Aunt Elma—Elmie, they used to pronounce it in the country—wires that she is coming to visit us and will be here on the evening train, so she is on her way now, and no preventing message could read her. Coming, too, just at the time when we are desirous of making a favorable impression upon Reid Whitehall. I am sure his attentions to you have been pronounced of late, Gwendoline, and he is so particular concerning family lineage. What will his elegant sister think of our backwoods relations? For your father's people never could be kept in the background as I have heard, and this girl—"

"Just what do you know about her mother," Gwendoline interrupted.

"Well, very little. There was trouble between your father and me concerning his sister at the start. You know, Katharine, what a stubborn man your father is. He has never allowed me to mention her name since, observing a grim silence when I seek information. Of course I did make fun of the country girl when I first married. We went to the little old backwoods house soon after, and all ones seemed to hear was, 'Elmie Perkins folks,' meaning your father and me. 'Elmie' was an entirely new species to a Chicago society girl, and her pink cambric sunbonnet and ruddy cheeks, amused me immensely. Your father left home early in life for the city, so his rusticity had worn off in success, but now—well, to draw the natural conclusion, Aunt Elmie Perkins will be a decidedly country product of the narrow-minded old maid."

Gwendoline frowned in annoyance while Katharine rose to her feet. "Perhaps," she said, "we might arrange the rear bedroom as a sort of comfortable sitting room, and persuade our intrusive aunt to remain there. At least, that's the only solution I can think of and I will attend to it now."

Slowly Gwendoline followed her more practical sister. "It really is—unfortunate," she said; she laughed shortly. "Mother has had such a desperate time catering to Reid Whitehall's artistic nature. I suppose the discovery of common clay among my antecedents, would give the fastidious one a jolt."

Katharine turned and stared at her sister. "You can joke that way about the man you love?" she murmured.

Gwendoline smiled back from the doorway. "The proper man, whom I am trying to train myself to love," she corrected.

"What shall I do about meeting her?" Mrs. Perkins complained. "Your father will be out of town over night, and I'm sure I shall not go out. We could send the auto, but to have her arriving with her strange notions when Mr. Whitehall is here—"

Mr. Whitehall himself coming in, interrupted the problem.

He was a distinguished-looking man, of perhaps middle age, and the success of his unusual paintings was making him a society favorite.

Closely following the artist's welcome came the telephone's call.

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The World's Next Step

NO. 4
The League of Nations and the Monroe Doctrine

By CLARENCE L. SPEED

(Written for and approved by the Illinois Branch of League to Enforce Peace.)

Apprehension, real or pretended, that the cherished Monroe Doctrine will be signed away if the United States becomes a party to the league of nations, as it is now proposed, is one of the grounds of opposition to the league in the senate.

The Monroe Doctrine was enunciated at a time when reaction was in the saddle in Europe. Napoleon had been crushed and ancient dynasties were being re-established on the thrones which had been overturned following the French revolution. The infant republic in America was surrounded by the possessions of powerful European states.

With the exception of the struggling republic in America there was hardly any place where the spirit of democracy seemed to survive. President Monroe felt the isolation not only of this nation but of the democratic spirit which it represented, and gave voice to the doctrine that no European state should be permitted to obtain further territory on this continent. He feared that the establishment of monarchical forms of government any nearer our borders might make the overthrow of democracy complete.

The right of the United States to take this position of guardian of a hemisphere was never admitted by the European nations, but Europe was busy with its own affairs and in the early days the Monroe Doctrine was not challenged.

Time passed. Mexico and Central and South American countries threw off the yokes of Spain and Portugal. Democracy progressed in Europe. The British government was liberalized. France became a republic, then an empire, and then once more a republic. With the exception of the German menace, which was not recognized until the war broke out, Europe seemed to have no territorial designs on America.

But the Monroe Doctrine grew and grew. From being a protection against the aggression of monarchy which might overthrow democracy in the United States, it came to be interpreted as involving a duty of this country to protect the little Latin-American republics from punishment for reprehensible acts such as repudiation of debts or violence to the persons or property of foreigners residing in their borders.

We were placing ourselves in the position of being made the policeman whose duty it was to make the little republics be good by force or ourselves to fight other nations which might attempt to protect the rights of their citizens. Can anyone imagine any foreign entanglement more likely to involve us in war than this? It will be remembered how near we came to war with England once on this account; and just before the world war broke out it began to seem pretty plain that we either would have to enforce order in Mexico or stand aside and see some other nation do it.

However, except that the Monroe Doctrine was sometimes used to stir up jingoism in national campaigns, it had really played little part in American thought in recent years. In fact, our assumed rights under it were abrogated in some twenty arbitration treaties which we signed with England, France, Russia and other nations in 1913 and the years following, and no one even noticed it. These treaties agreed that the United States and the other nations signing them should "submit all disputes whatsoever to arbitration." These disputes were just as likely—probably more so—to involve the Monroe Doctrine as anything else. And under the treaties we would have had to submit them to an international body much like that provided for in the league of nations.

But, though we had signed away our rights under the Monroe Doctrine, the league of nations, while it does not mention this American principle specifically, in reality does recognize it by virtue of recognizing the fundamental principle underlying it; and this is the first general recognition it has ever had.

The Monroe Doctrine asserted that no country would be allowed to grab territory on this continent without getting into trouble with us. The league of nations provides that no nation shall be allowed to grab territory anywhere in the world without getting into trouble with all the members of the league. Obviously this applies to America as well as any other country.

The result is that we, instead of having all the burden of enforcing the Monroe Doctrine against the world, now will have the world pledged to help us support it against any nation which seeks to grab land.

Apparently this, instead of dragging us into a foreign entanglement, helps us out of our one hereditary foreign entanglement which might threaten us with war over a matter in which we had little or no concern.

And what if the league should fail? What if all the other nations should suddenly decide to combine to overthrow an offending state on the American continent?

That would mean simply that we would be right back where we are now. We could either assume the duty of chastising the offender ourselves, sit by and see someone else do it, or go to war to prevent proper punishment being meted out. That's all we can do now.

A Great Remedy.

The merits of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea remedy are well known and appreciated, but there is occasionally a man who had no acquaintance with them and should read the following by F. H. Dear, a hotel man at Davenport, Mont. "Four years ago I used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea remedy with such wonderful results that I have since recommended it to my friends." Adv.

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Brown Sugar, per pound	11 1/2c
Swift Pride soap, per bar	.05c
Whole Rice, per pound	.13c
Beans, per pound	9 1/2c
35c Red Salmon, per can	.30c
30c Pink Salmon, per can	.25c
Creamery Butter, per pound	.63c
2 Packages Oatmeal	.25c
Gilt Edge Pastry Flour, 2 1/2 pound sack	\$1.79
White Rose Pastry Flour, 2 1/2 pound sack	\$1.75
Blue Ribbon raisins, per bkg.	.18c
60c Breakfast Delight coffee, per pound	.50c
Mo-Ka Coffee, per pound	.47c

Here is a Big Saturday Special

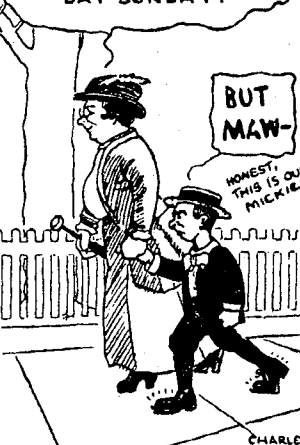
60c Morning Cup coffee, per pound .45c

On this day we are offering this fine grade of coffee, at this greatly reduced price, in order to introduce it to the public. Don't fail to include a pound in your grocery order for Saturday.

SALLING HANSON COMPANY

MICKIE SAYS

NO, SIR, MICHAEL O'BRIEN YOU CAN'T GO DOWN TO THE TRAIN TO GATHER NEWS ITEMS FOR THE PAPER, FOR YOU'RE GOING TO CHURCH WITH ME. I SHOULD THINK YOU'D GET ENOUGH OF THAT PRINTING OFFICE DURING THE WEEK WITHOUT HAVING IT ON YOUR MIND ALL DAY SUNDAY!



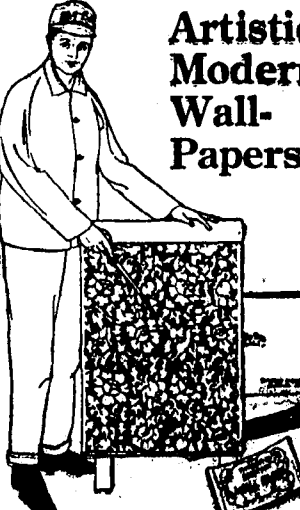
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CONRAD SORENSON

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No ad. taken for less than 25 cents. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH THE ORDER.

FOR SALE—House and two lots. South Side, good location. Offered cheap for quick sale. Also 60 acres in Beaver Creek township, 20 acres are hardwood and hemlock timber, 12 acres cleared and balance pasture land. Inquire of Chris Jensen, Grayling, P. O. box No. 8 9-11-19

FOR SALE—A quantity of citron for preserves. Also a good wood heating stove. Inquire of Mrs. John Murphy, opposite the Flouring mill. 9-10-19

LOST—An army pocketbook, containing \$18 in currency and an auto driver's license. J. O. Matthews, box 206, Grayling.

WANTED—Reliable school girl or elderly lady to take care of baby evenings. Phone 1081.

FOR SALE—Three Milch cows. 2, 4 and 5 years old. One fresh Sept. 1. Also several young pigs. Hugo Schreiber, Roscommon, Route 1. 9-4-19

FOUND—On Lake street, Thursday, August 28, a pair of nose glasses in case. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement.

WANTED—Two men to cut box timber. Good wages with or without board. P. O. Purcell, Potter farm, Horriagan Switch. 9-4-19

ROOMERS WANTED—Mrs. H. Blonette. Corner Chestnut and Lonia streets. Phone 974. tf.

FOR SALE—One Winchester pump-gun and one Winchester .22 pump gun. Both guaranteed, write C. N. Underhill, or phone 851, Grayling.

LOST—Belt of Pekin blue velour to a coat. Finder kindly leave at this office.

WANTED—Middle aged lady to do house work. Inquire at Avalanche office.

WANTED—First-class camp cook. Man and wife preferred. Apply, Great Lakes Stone & Lime Company, Alpena, Michigan. 9-25-19

FOR RENT—Half of double house, near hospital. Good condition. H. L. Fitch. 8-21-19.

FOR SALE—40 acre farm in Beaver Creek township, 6 miles southwest from Grayling known as Gavend farm. Write for prices to publisher, R. Danick, 2326 N. Harmon Ave., Chicago, Ill. 9-14-19

FOR SALE—Heating stove in good condition. Will burn hard or soft coal, or wood. Phone 544. tf.

FOR SALE—House and lot. Corner Lake and Maple streets, known as the Mrs. J. S. Maltrop house. Hot and cold water; bath, maple floors, steam heat, and all modern conveniences. T. W. Hanson, Grayling.

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Toilet Articles.
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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, SEPT. 11

Habit is older than reason.
C. F. Underhill made a business trip to Saginaw Tuesday night.

Miss Doris Lagrow left yesterday to spend a few days in Detroit.

Otto Nelson is assisting in the Schjotz grocery as deliveryman.

The biggest thing on earth is that "idle curiosity" stuff.

A politician is one who operates for himself; a statesman is one who operates for society.

Your child may, or may not, need glasses. It would be wise to have Hathaway find out.

Mrs. William Green and Mrs. Elf Rasmussen have been spending several days in Wolverine.

There will be a dancing party at the Temple theatre, Friday evening, September 12.

Charles Fehr and family expect to move into the house recently occupied by the J. C. Foreman family.

The good-will of the employed is just as necessary and valuable as the good will of the trade.

It doesn't make any difference what the laws are, it's not good sense to go counter to public opinion.

Mrs. Louis Burton of Jackson is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burton for a couple of weeks.



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YOUR GROCER PHONE 25

Yardmaster William McNeven has been quite ill at his home since Monday.

Isaac LaMotte and family have moved back to Grayling from Detroit for the winter.

Miss Edith Walker has returned here and opened the Hat Shop for the fall and winter season.

Miss Bernadette Cassidy entertained a party of twelve young ladies Saturday evening in honor of her sister Miss Mary, at their home.

Mrs. Rhoda Everett, who has been spending a couple of weeks in Detroit visiting her daughters, Mrs. Withee and Miss Gladys Everett, returned home Saturday.

Announcements have been received by local friends of the marriage of Mrs. Sarah Kelson Michelson to Mr. Howard Richard Ford, at Bay City, Tuesday, September 9. Mrs. Ford was formerly Mrs. Fred Michelson.

Mrs. Ida Neal, the wife of Charles Neal, age 62 years, passed away at the home of her son Sherman Neal in this city Tuesday, September 2nd, after a couple of weeks of illness. Burial was at Rose City, September 4th.

Miss Kathryn Brady is here from Battle Creek, a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. M. Shanahan, and also former friends. With her is her cousin Miss Helen Klacking also of Battle Creek. They will leave the latter part of the week for Mackinaw to visit more relatives.

T. W. Hanson left the last of last week for Bay City, where he joined Mrs. Hanson and their daughter Miss Virginia, and together they went to Detroit for a few days, after which they will leave for California to spend the winter.

The ladies of the W.R.C. were nicely entertained by Mrs. Chas. Fehr at Lake Margrethe Tuesday, where they had been invited to spend the day. All enjoyed themselves very much. The Fehr family have been occupying the Foreman cottage at the lake for some time.

The last dance of the season was held at Collen's pavilion Saturday and was well attended. These dancing parties have been very pleasant affairs this season and much enjoyed by the townspeople as well as the resorters at Lake Margrethe.

A Mr. Reed of Toledo, Ohio, has been looking up sites for a resort hotel and has visited many places in Northern Michigan. While here he visited Lake Margrethe and has concluded that this place offers the most favorable outlook of any place he has visited.

Mrs. George Slade, traveling sales lady for the Davis-Collier company of Pittsburg, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. F. Davidson, has returned to her home in Ohio.

Selling Hanson company are exhibiting some remarkable fine corn that was raised in their field back of the mill. There are sure going to be some big corn crops in Crawford county this season. Stalks in the above mentioned field reached fully 10 feet high, in most hills.

Lieut. Alfred E. Sorenson, who has been serving as chaplain of the 329th Field Artillery for several months in France arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Sorenson. Lieut. Sorenson came from Camp Dix, New Jersey, at which camp he received his honorable discharge from service.

The Hanson "Twins" celebrated their ninth birthday Monday and as usual made several of their little friends happy by taking them to Lake Margrethe to spend the day with them. The members of the Hanson families were also entertained.

Old and young enjoyed the birthday party very much.
Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield have been enjoying a visit of Miss Leah Marshall, a cousin, of Detroit. Miss Floss Miller, of Gladwin, a sister of Mrs. Canfield, who has been at their home for several days, expects to return to her home this week. Miss Miller was a member of the Harper hospital unit in France during the war.

Mrs. Axel Sorenson of Detroit, formerly Miss Johanna Hanson of this city, writes friends here, that she enjoyed seeing moving pictures of the Hanson State military reservation and also of the Fish Hatchery, at the Strand theatre in that city one evening last week. Conspicuous in the Hatchery pictures, she says, was Mr. Marius Hanson feeding the fish with Supt. P. G. Zalsman nearby. She says it certainly was a treat for her.

There will be a game of base ball next Sunday, September 14, between Grayling and Bay City at the Grayling Ball park. This Bay City team is a collection of the best professional and semi-professional players in that city and an exciting game may be looked for. "Babe" Laurent will pitch for the home team. Come out and see this game—it will be the last one of the season. Game begins at 2:30 p. m. Admission 50 cents.

The Cadillac Evening News had a nice lot of things to say about the Jazz band that was to play at one of their dancing parties, August 29. Will J. Lauder of this city was among the musicians. The latter just returned home from abroad with the A. E. F. where he had been with the entertainment division playing in a Jazz orchestra. Two of the members of the orchestra were Cadillac boys and it was to be a treat to have this crowd furnish some of the selections that they had played while enroute in the principal cities of France, England, Luxembourg, Belgium, Italy, Spain and Switzerland.

There is sure to be quite a contest on corn in Crawford county this fall for almost every farmer is boasting of the fine crop he has, and naturally has stirred up much rivalry. Jens Hanson of Beaver Creek brot to this office last week an ear that measures over ten inches in length and has twelve perfect rows running from the knob to the point. It was of the yellow dent variety. He has three acres and expects not less than 400 bushels from this field and, he says that he will not be one bit jealous of any farmer that can beat his sample and hopes that it will be done by several.

We have on display a number of attractive articles in the most beautiful needle cut glass ware. Suitable for gifts.

Sorenson Bros.

Remember the dates Saturday, Sunday and Monday, September 13, 14 and 15, at Hotel Burton. The Clothes Man.

The American Legion State convention will be held in Grand Rapids October 18, 14, and 15.

J. C. Foreman and family are moving their household goods to Bay City where the former will engage in the auto tire business.

Dr. A. C. McKinnon of Lewiston was in the city the latter part of the week calling on friends. Since entering the service of the U. S. Army he has been commissioned captain. He is at his home in Lewiston on furlough from Texas, where he is stationed.

The Saginaw fair will be held September 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27. The association is putting a lot of push in their program and it promises to be one of the best fairs in Michigan this year, if not the best. There will be a fine lot of attractions, sports and exhibits.

Mrs. Emma Salt of Traverse City, has resumed her position as district deputy of the Woman's Benefit Association of the Macabees after several months' vacation. Mrs. Salt is well known in Grayling, having organized Grayling Review No. 76. She is planning on attending their regular meeting, Sept. 26th, when she hopes to meet all the members.

At Mercy hospital, last Sunday, occurred the death of Mrs. Kristine Ross, the aged lady who was severely burned a couple of weeks ago at her home in T-Town. The lady, who was over seventy years old, had built a fire in a cook stove when her dress caught fire and she received several burns. It was not until several days later that she was removed from her home to the hospital, where she died. The family recently moved here from Huntley, Ill., to make their future home. The remains were taken to the former home in Illinois for burial. The deceased is survived by her husband, Bert Ross, and a daughter, the latter with whom she resided.

S. J. Cook, a farmer that lived near Cheney was killed by a train early Monday morning. He was last seen between the hours of 2:00 and 3:00 a. m. and as the body was found at about 6:30 by section men it is reasonable to be presumed that he was struck by the northbound early morning train, due in Grayling at 4:10. Nobody knows just how it happened but it appears that the man had been either sitting or sleeping on the track near the Cheney crossing. The body was horribly mangled—the skull was crushed and back broken. He was about 79 years old and had lived around that vicinity for about six years.

Grant Thompson and Gordon McDonald had a hard fight for their lives last Sunday at Lake Margrethe when a canoe, in which they were riding capsized. The boys were trying to cross the lake and the water was unusually rough and the waves washing over the canoe. It was a hazardous feat and resulted in the capsizing of the canoe. The boys had on bathing suits. They clung to the overturned craft with one hand and tried to swim toward the shore with the other hand but as the water was rough they made almost no progress and it was only by luck that Samuel Collen saw them and came to their assistance. He found the boys chilled thru and almost exhausted but still holding onto the canoe, and no doubt if he had not come to their rescue they would have perished. Sam's hands bore evidence of his fast ride in the rowboat by several large blisters. He took the boys to the Collen cottage and gave them hot towels which warmed them up and revived them, and except for being badly frightened the young men were but little the worse off over the incident.

Blanket Sale

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Bath Robe Blankets, \$6, \$6.50.

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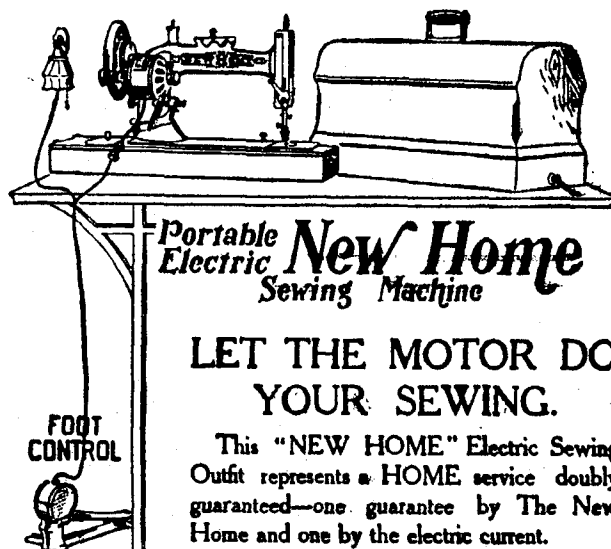
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CLEANSER
3 Cans 25c

Apples, fine cookers, pk. 25c
Macaroni or Vermicelli, 2 25c
Peaches, Mich. Pack, 2 cans, 69c
Spinach, Richellon, med. can 18c
Squash, large can, 21c
Sauer Kraut with Sausage, 18c
Lemons, per doz. 29c
Raisins, Richellon, 2 pkgs. 31c
Flake White soap, 10 bars, 68c

San Marto Coffee, per lb. 39c
Crisco, lb. can. 39c
Pielola Lemon Pie Filler, pkg. 10c
Pumpkin, Large can, 2 for. 19c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 2 for. 25c
Baker's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. pkg. 37c
Pure Lard, 2 lb. 69c
Cheese, American, lb. 39c
Peanut Butter, 1 lb. 25c

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COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

Abraham Lincoln had a very clear conception of the importance of agriculture and its development in our country over half a century ago. In an address delivered at a western state fair, September 30, 1859 he gave voice to the following thoughts. We would do well to take these thoughts from the great Lincoln to heart at this time.

"No other human occupation opens so wide a field for the profitable and agreeable combination of labor with cultivated thought as agriculture. I know of nothing so pleasant to the mind as the discovery of anything that is at once new and valuable—nothing that so enlightens and sweetens toil—as the happy pursuit of such discovery. And how vast and how varied is the field of agriculture for such discovery! The mind, already trained to thought in the country schools or higher schools, cannot fail to find there an exhaustless source of enjoyment. Every blade of grass is a study; and not grass alone, but soils, seeds and seasons, hedges, ditches and fences, draining, droughts and irrigation—plowing, hoeing and harrowing; reaping, mowing and threshing—sowing crops, pests of crops, diseases of crops, and what will prevent and cure them—implements, utensils and machines, their relative merits, and to improve them—hogs, horses and cattle—sheep, goats and poultry—trees, shrubs, fruits, plants and flowers—the thousand things of which these are specimens—each a world of study within itself.

In all this book learning is available. A capacity and a taste for reading gives access to what already has been discovered by others. It is the key, or one of the keys to already solved problems. It gives relish and facility for successfully pursuing the unsolved ones. The rudiments of science are available, and highly valuable. Some knowledge of botany assists in dealing with the vegetable world—with all growing crops. Chemistry assists in the analysis of soils, selection and application of manures, and in numerous other ways. The mechanical branches of natural philosophy are ready to help in almost everything, but especially in reference to implements and machinery.

"The thought occurs that education—cultivated thought—can best be combined with agricultural labor—or with any other labor—on the principle of thorough work; that careless, half-performed, slovenly work, makes no place for such combination. And thorough work, again, renders sufficient the smallest quantity of ground to each man. And this again conforms to what must occur in a world less inclined to war, and more devoted to the arts of peace than heretofore. Population must increase rapidly—more rapidly than in former times—and ere long the most valuable of all arts will be the art of deriving a comfortable sustenance from the smallest area of soil. No community whose every member possesses this art can ever be the victim of oppression in any of its forms. Such a community will be alike independent of crowned kings, money kings and land kings."

Ten Tips.

- 1—Hill select your seed potatoes.
- 2—Get under some clover sod for potato ground for next year.
- 3—Rake up and burn your potato vines this year.
- 4—Clean your root house. Disinfect it with formaldehyde spray.
- 5—Prepare to plant silage and build a silo next season.
- 6—Buy some pure-bred calves.
- 7—Keep a Farm Record that you can summarize at the end of the year.
- 8—Field select your seed corn and keep it from freezing.
- 9—Study marketing.
- 10—Cooperate with your neighbors. If you have done these things pat yourself on the back. If you haven't,

Get Busy.

Modern Farm Courtship.

"So you ask the hand of my daughter in marriage, eh?"
"Yes, sir."
"Have you a new barn?"
"Yes."
"Is your stock pedigreed?"
"Every cow in the herd, sir."
"Do you believe in good roads?"
"I do."
"What a cream separator of the modern type?"
"Yes."
"And a silo?"
"Yes, sir."
"Do you keep books in conducting your dairy business?"
"I do, sir."
"Alright, I guess you can have her."

R. J. Baldwin, director of Extension work at M. A. C., together with his family spent his vacation, the last two weeks in August at Higgins Lake. Even tho taking his first vacation in four years, Mr. Baldwin took occasion to improve his knowledge on the actual conditions and problems in these counties by accompanying the County Agent on several trips. In the course of these trips he was in practically all the communities of both counties, and had an opportunity to see the crops being actually grown on all kinds of lands in the counties. He took considerable pains to get tab on the extent of the various kinds of land, cutover pine, swamp, muck, jack pine plains, etc. Mr. Baldwin expressed himself in saying that he would not take a great deal for the first hand information he had acquired, and felt that henceforth he would have a personal knowledge of conditions, lands, character of people, crops, seasons, etc., that would be invaluable to him in his work along the line of helping solve the great problem of making agriculture a success in northern Michigan.

The Grange picnic at Higgins Lake was very successful in everything except point of numbers there being sixty present. Threshing, corn cutting, etc., explains the small attendance.

The poultry demonstration conducted by E. C. Forman, Extension Specialist, at St. Helen was very successful, and Mr. Forman was very much impressed with the showing made by the St. Helen Cooperative Poultry association. The class of birds kept and the method of doing business made a very good impression on him. The only thing he advised was the installation of electric lighting, which he informed his hearers was no longer a fad, or susceptible to argument, because it had been demonstrated that electric lighting increases the output of poultry from 20 to 30 percent.

The demonstration booked for Roscommon and to which at least a dozen farmers had promised to bring in fowls, was a dead failure, as not a single farmer came in. There is no question that it is worth at least \$25 per year on an ordinary farm flock to know how to properly cull them, and this was the point that Mr. Forman was demonstrating particularly. From the cullings already made in Michigan it is estimated that 30 percent of the farm flocks are not layers but boarders and do not come within a dollar per year of self support. There are estimated to be 1,800,000 hens in Michigan, 400,000 of which are slackers. Mr. Forman in his travels has culled over 100,000 now. With eggs, feed, and hens at present prices it does not pay to have slackers and millinery hens, and it would seem as tho people would overlook no opportunity to acquire the knowledge necessary to rid them out.

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State of Michigan
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county the eighth day of September, A. D. 1919.
Present: Hon. Oscar Palmer, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Robert L. Land, deceased.
Lewada Land having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered that the 21st day of October, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Oscar Palmer,
[A true copy.] Judge of Probate.
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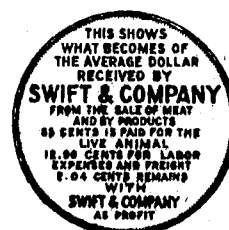
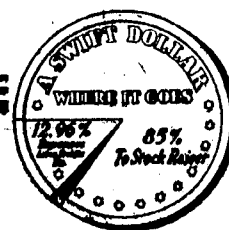
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